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In re application : Feld et al.
Application No. : 08/745,509
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For : A RAMAN ENDOSCOPE
Examiner : Ruth S. Smith
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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

VIA FACSIMILE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination of the above-
identified application. Authorization is provided herewith to
charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$795.00)
per §1.17(e).

[] Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on _____
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- ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ☐ Affidavit/Declaration
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time for ____ month(s) is hereby made, under provisions of §1.136(a); authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 in the amount of (\$_____) for the cost of same
- ☐ Other: _____

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REMARKS

The Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned attorney to discuss any matter that would expedite allowance of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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